

Impressive Candlelight Ceremonies Unite Four Couples

English Girl-Wilmington Man Exchange Vows in Friday Wedding

Miss Iris Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Rush of London, England, was the Friday bride of Jack Alex Blevens son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Elevens, of Wilmington. Rev. Vincent Irwin officiated at the evening candlelight ceremony in Calvary Baptist Church.

Candleabra and baskets of white mums, gladioli, and snapdragons decorated the altar.

Bridal Gown
The bride chose white nylon net for her wedding gown. It was styled with fitted bodice, long sleeves and full skirt. Her fingertip veil fell from a tiny cap which came to a point in the front with a tear drop pearl and was topped with a tiny replica of Queen Elizabeth's crown. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid and ribbon streamers.

James Turner gave the bride in marriage.
Mrs. Robert Dome was the matron of honor and Miss Millie Horton, the bridesmaid.

Attends Brother
The groom's brother, Don Blevens, attended his brother as best man. Robert Dome and

ushers Dwayne Alderson and Danny Hanniff completed the wedding party.

The bridegroom's mother wore a gown of pale blue, a pink hat and accessories and a gardenia corsage.

A wedding reception was held in the church parlors.

The newlyweds are at home in an apartment at 130 Marina ave., Wilmington.



MRS. JACK ALEX BLEVENS
Nee Iris Morgan
Photo by Seeman



MRS. ROGER HAROLD SIMONSEN
Nee Eleanor Ann Lowen
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MRS. BOBBY RICHARD COLLINS
Nee Karen Elaine Fanning
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Rebekahs Plan Special Dinner

Members of Torrance Rebekah Lodge will have a "Dime-a-Dip" dinner Wednesday evening in the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo ave. Each is requested to furnish a dish as for a pot luck dinner, and invite friends to enjoy the festivities of the new idea with them.

Plans for an October 15 bazaar are progressing steadily. A dinner will be served in connection with the afternoon and evening affair.

Mrs. Angeleline Disario, president, announces a noon luncheon to be served at the Masonic Temple on October 8 by members of the Home-Makers Club of Los Angeles under the sponsorship of the Fun and Fund Club, an auxiliary of the Rebekah Lodge. The public is invited to attend. Serving will start at noon.

Prenuptial Showers
Miss Karen Fanning, whose marriage to Bobby Collins was an event of last Saturday was the guest of honor at two prenuptial showers.

Mrs. Christine Burnette of Lakewood was hostess at a miscellaneous shower for twelve guests, mostly friends of Miss Fanning's parents.

Another miscellaneous shower was that given for 20 guests in the Wilmington home of Mrs. Ann Heitala. Mrs. Bob Smith and Mrs. Jim Williams were co-hostesses.

A yellow color theme was carried out in decorations and cakes. An open umbrella covered the shower gifts.

Guests were friends of Miss Fanning from Narbonne High and Harbor Jr. College.

Pirouettes Club Elects Officers

Pirouettes Club of South High School elected new officers at their first meeting of the new year in the home of Mrs. John Black, 22523 Kathryn ave.

Chosen were Joy Bebbing, president; Mary Florez, vice president; Stefanie Binkly, secretary; Pat Terwilliger, treasurer; Donna Reich, historian and reporter; Linda Waterman, chaplain; Carol Shelline, sergeant at arms.

The girls who organized their club while freshmen at South High made plans for the coming term, after which refreshments were served.

Others attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Carl Lothrop, Lindsay B. Kelsey, Jack Williams, Kermit Smith, Frank Sherman, Don Jordan, Robert Knapp and their son Jeffery, Mrs. Pat Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barrie of Downey, and Nancy's fiancé, Tom Cheney.

Surprise Couple On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Loren (Leone) Ewing, 16608 Ermanita ave., observing their thirtieth wedding anniversary Sunday were surprised by relatives and friends who arrived unexpectedly to help them celebrate the occasion.

A buffet luncheon was served by the guests who carried out the pearl theme in gifts and the huge cake centerpiece.

Children Present
Cooperating in the party were the couple's son Bill and daughter Nancy of the home address and their married daughter, Mrs. Edward Washum, her husband and son Michael.

Coming from Beverly Hills for the celebration were two brothers of Mr. Ewing, and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ewing.

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Pastor's Daughter is First Bride At Torrance Foursquare Church

The first wedding to be held in the recently dedicated sanctuary of Torrance Foursquare Church was the Saturday afternoon ceremony uniting Miss Eleanor Ann Lowen, daughter of the church's pastor, Rev. James P. Lowen and Mrs. Lowen, with Roger Harold Simonsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Simonsen of Bayonne, New Jersey.

More than 200 guests assembled to witness the ceremony and take part in the reception which followed in the church social hall.

Rev. Howard P. Courtney officiated at the double ring service before the altar decorated with baskets of white mums and gladioli.

Bridal Satin
The bride wore white bridal satin with Chantilly lace bodice and a Chantilly lace chapel length train as she walked up the aisle with her father who gave her in marriage.

Miss Delores Hayes wore yellow silk organza over taffeta, styled in bouffant ballerina length, for her role as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Miss Nomi Johnson and Miss Shirley Rodriguez of Sacramento, Miss Johnson wore coral silk organza over taffeta while Miss Rodriguez' gown was of honey beige.

Both were styled with bouffant skirts in ballerina length. David Hagthorpe served the groom as best man and ushers were James Lowen, a cousin of the bride, and Robert Walker.

Little Cindy Whiteley was flower girl and Bobby Schimick was the ring bearer. She wore a gown of apple green silk organza over taffeta.

The bride's mother wore an embroidered silk organza dress in spice brown and coral accessories.

The groom's mother wore powder blue lace with blue accessories.

From Out of Town
Following the ceremony, the newlyweds greeted their guests at the reception in the social hall, after which they left on a two week motor trip to northern California. Guests were present from San Diego, Sacramento, Napa, Pt. Huemene, Santa Ana, Glendale, and Los Angeles, from Kansas City, Mo., and Bayonne, N.J.

The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School and attended El Camino College.

The groom is a graduate of Bayonne High School and Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N.Y. Both are employed at the El Segundo plant of Douglas Aircraft.

Their new home will be established at 15009 1/2 Chadron, Gardena.

Karen Elaine Fanning Becomes Bride of Bobby Richard Collins

A candlelight service in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church last Saturday evening united Miss Karen Elaine Fanning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Fanning, 22124 Denker ave., and Bobby Richard Collins, son of Mrs. Edith Mitchell of Fort Payne, Ala., and John Collins of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Candleabra and white satin bows marked the aisle and wall brackets of candles were decorated with fern and white satine bows. The altar candleabra were decorated with fern and white stock and baskets held white gladioli, stock, and carnations.

Rev. Hugh Percy officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Wedding Gown
The bride was given in marriage by Marvin Marcho, a friend of the Fanning family. She wore a wedding gown of white peau de soie with applique lace stitched with seed pearls on the yoke and skirt. The long bodice had three quarter length sleeves and a short train fell from the full skirt. Her finger tip veil was caught to a lace cap stitched with seed pearls. Only accessories were pearl earrings and a single strand necklace. Her bouquet was made of miniature white rosebuds on a spray of asparagus fern.

Brides Attendants
Mrs. James Williams as matron of honor, Mrs. Anne Heitala

and Mrs. Matty Sandoval as bridesmaids, wore brocade taffeta. Mrs. Williams carried yellow carnations and fern and the bridesmaids carried yellow and white carnations and fern.

Robert Smith attended the groom as best man and ushers were Stephen Johnson and James Williams.

The bride's mother wore a champagne colored lace sheath, matching accessories, and a brown orchid corsage.

The groom's mother wore an old rose lace sheath with matching accessories and a white orchid corsage.

A reception in the parish hall followed the wedding ceremony.

Postpone Trip
The newlyweds postponed their wedding trip because of the illness of the bride's father and are making their new home at 1429 W. 219 st., Torrance.

The bride is a graduate of Narbonne High School, class of '55 and attended Harbor Junior College for a year. She is employed at Avalon Motors in Wilmington.

The groom was graduated from DeKalb High School in '54 and served four years with the US Navy. He is employed at Public Finance in Long Beach.

Yom Kippur Dance Planned

Members and friends of the Centinela Valley Jewish Council, 416 Birch ave., Hawthorne, are planning a Yom Kippur night dance to be held on Wednesday, September 24, at 8:30 p.m. at the Council building.

Yom Kippur is the Jewish Day of Atonement and is celebrated by prayer and fasting. When the sun sets and the day is ended Jewish people throughout the world celebrate by attending parties and dances.

Chairman for the affair is Bill Diamond. Other members of the committee are: Messrs. Irving Benjamin, Sam Goldwasser, N. er Lipson, Phil Pansky, and Lionel Nosanov.

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MRS. RONALD KIGHT
nee Gloria Jean Lamoureux
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Couple Wed In Baptist Church

The marriage of Miss Gloria Jean Lamoureux, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Lamoureux, 2370 Western ave., and Ronald E. Kight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton H. Kight, 1034 E. Spicer st., took place at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, in Torrance First Baptist Church. Rev. Morgan Gates officiated at the single ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white satin and lace, with a long train and a bonnet shaped cap to hold her veil.

Matron In Yellow
Mrs. Nancy Kight was the matron of honor. She wore a yellow net dress with full skirt.

Bill C. Kight served as best man and ushers were Robert Ulum and Richard Iretton.

Following the wedding ceremony and reception, the couple left to make their new home in Buffalo, Wyoming.

The bride is a graduate of Banning High School and the groom was graduated from Diablo High School, of Concord.

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